

AMENDMENTS TO THE DRAWINGS

Figure 8b has been changed to correctly identify the **inner folds 105a** and **105b** by lengthening the pointer lines from their reference numerals to these structural elements, which lines previously ended at the **permeable layers 110a** and **110b**. A replacement drawing sheet **8/9** incorporating the changes is included in this submission.

In **Figure 4**, the reference numerals **36**, **37**, and **37** with arrows have been added to identify the first waist region, the crotch region, and the second waist region, respectively, and thereby facilitate reference to this figure.

REMARKS

Amendments to the Description

A paragraph on page 12 has been changed to correct a typographical error by substituting “by” for “be”. Also, a paragraph on page 18 has been changed to more clearly identify the two permeable layers **110a** and **110b** corresponding to the respective barrier leg cuffs **100a** and **100b**. The two permeable layers were identified by the two reference numerals in **Figure 8b** as originally filed, but only a generic “permeable layer **110**” was previously recited in the text of this paragraph.

Amendments to the Claims

Independent **Claim 1** has been amended to correct a typographical error by replacing a comma with the word “and”. Support for this change is found throughout the Application as originally filed, including in the Summary, the Abstract, the corresponding portions of the other independent claims, *etc.*

Amendments to the Drawings

As originally filed, the pointer lines from the reference numerals **105a** and **105b** in **Figure 8b** incorrectly ended at the **permeable layers 110a** and **110b**, rather than extending to the **inner folds 105a** and **105b**, with which they are correctly associated in the description on page 18 and in Figure 9b. **Figure 8b** has been changed by lengthening these two pointer lines.

The reference numerals **36**, **37**, and **37** have been added to **Figure 4** to identify the first waist region, the crotch region, and the second waist region, respectively, and thereby facilitate reference to this figure.

It is respectfully presumed that these changes will be accepted and so replacement drawing sheets **4/9** and **8/9** incorporating the changes are attached to facilitate their immediate entry into the file.

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